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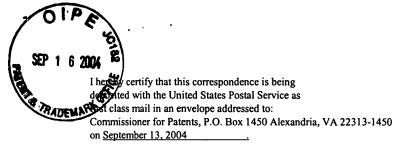
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## **STATUS INQUIRY**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

On September 8, 2003 Applicant filed a Petition for Withdrawal of Holding of
Abandonment or, in the Alternative, Petition under 37 CFR § 1.137(b) for Revival of Abandoned
Application. To date, Applicant has not received any decision regarding the Petition regarding the above-identified application. Accordingly, Applicant request that the status of the above-identified

application and Petition be given including an estimated date for a decision on the Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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